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## JAPANESE ADVANCE 80 MILES - VANGUARD TAKES CHALANTUN

### CARDIFF FOOTBALL DECLINE

F.A. Cup Defeat At Bristol.

#### FIVE REPLAY RESULTS

London, To-day. Bristol Rovers caused a sensation yesterday when they defeated Cardiff City, four Cup fighters, by the convincing margin of 4 goals to 1 in the First Round of the F.A. Cup. Southend beat Exeter and Luton and Gillingham advanced into the next round. After extra time Bournemouth and Torquay were still on level terms.

Cardiff City, who have reached the Final Round on two occasions in the last eight years and won the Trophy once in that period, were held to a draw by the Rovers at Cardiff on Saturday. Yesterday they were clearly outplayed in the replay and their decline was made even more evident.

The following were the results of yesterday's replays with Saturday's results in brackets:

Exeter (1) 0 Southend (0) 1  
Kingston (2) 2 Luton (2) 3  
Bournemouth (0) 2 Torquay (0) 2  
Bristol R (1) 4 Cardiff C. (1) 1  
Wycombe (1) 2 Gillingham (1) 4

The following are the opponents for the winning teams in the Second Round, the home team being placed first in each case:

Southend v Scarborough  
Bristol R. v Gillingham  
Stockport v Luton

Torquay or Bournemouth Merthyr or Queen's P.R. — Reuter.

### EASTERN COUNTIES WIN.

Middlesex Easily Beat Kent At Rugby.

London, To-day. The following were the results of yesterday's Rugby Union games:

East. Counties 17 Surrey 3  
Kent 6 Middlesex 34  
(at Blackheath)

— Reuter.

### ARSENAL WIN

London, To-day. Woolwich Arsenal, leaders of the English First Division soccer league, proved too good for the Racing Club, France, winning by three clear goals. — Reuter.

### Naval Officer In Prison

Supreme Court Refuses Bail.

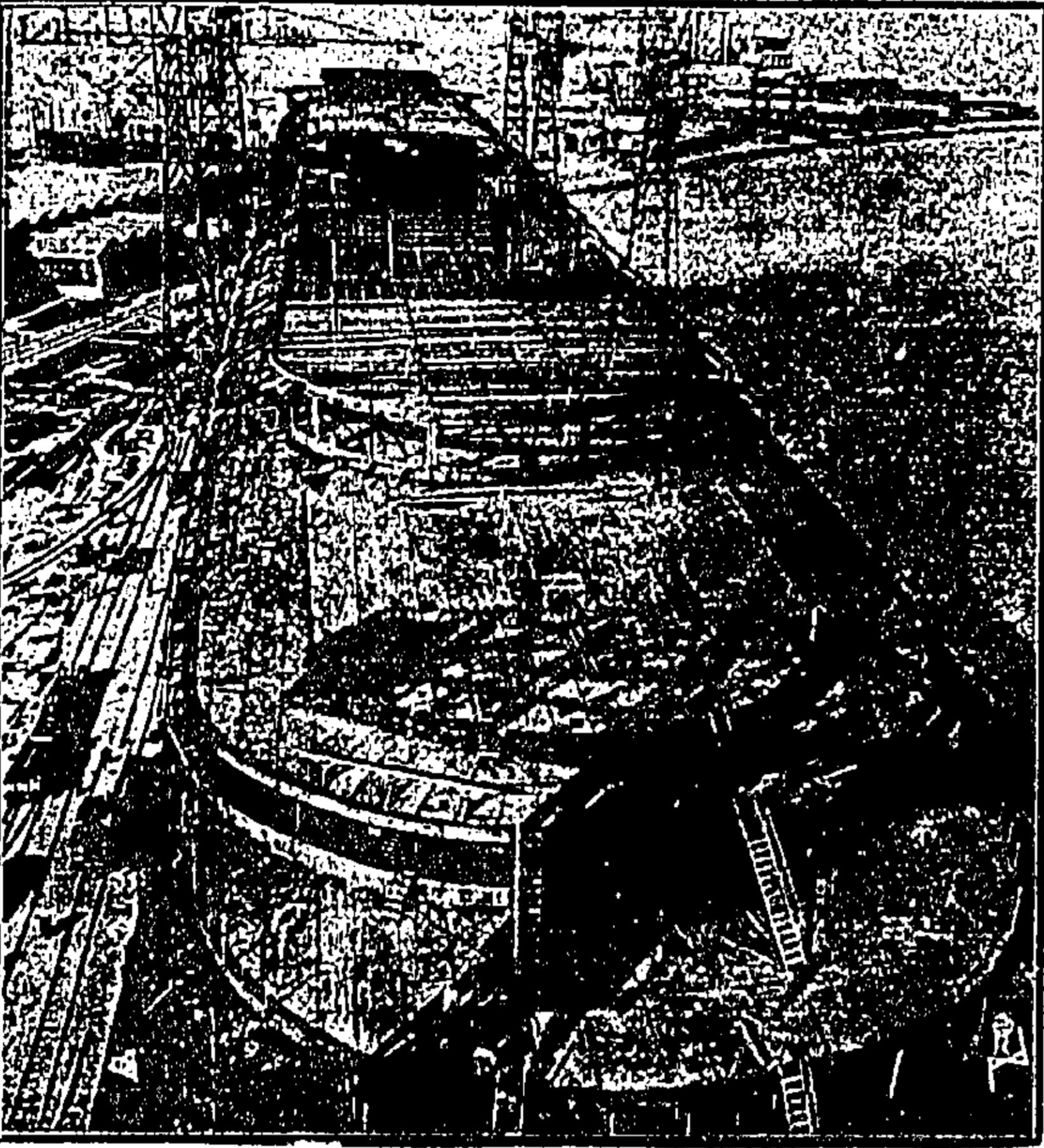
Limassol, To-day. The application of Commander Sutton, British naval officer sentenced to imprisonment for manslaughter, requesting bail, has been refused by the Supreme Court of Limassol.

Commander Sutton is at present awaiting the outcome of an appeal to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council and is in prison at Winchester, England.

The officer was charged as the outcome of a fracas here, in which a native merchant was struck a blow which killed him. — Reuter.

### KING AND QUEEN GO TO SANDRINGHAM

London, To-day. Their Majesties the King and Queen will leave London for Sandringham on Saturday, remaining at their Norfolk residence for about week. It was announced today. — British Wireless Service.



### FRANCO-SOVIET PACT BROUGHT UNDER CENSURE

Quai D'Orsay Answers Opposition Press.

#### NATION NOT CRAMPED

Paris, To-day. The Opposition press criticizes the Franco-Soviet Pact of non-aggression, signed yesterday, as cramping France in her economic defence measures against the Soviet.

A Quai D'Orsay communiqué states the pact in no way affects the complete tariff freedom of the French Government and does not prejudice the tenor of the new Franco-Soviet trade agreement, negotiations on which matter are expected to be opened shortly. — Reuter.

### LONDON STOCK MARKET STILL HOLDING FIRM

Pound Gains Sharply As Tone Improves.

#### NEW YORK RESTLESS

London, To-day. Stock markets yesterday presented a generally quiet appearance. There was a small investment demand for gilt-edged securities. Government loans registered a further sharp recovery and finished with advances at nearly £2. War Loan Assented was finally quoted at 97½%.

In the foreign exchange market, sterling displayed an uncertain tendency at the outset, the opening rate on New York being quoted at \$3.1612. Later it rose sharply to \$3.2012, and closed at \$3.1914. — British Wireless Service.

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### GERMANY PASSES CRISIS

Berlin, To-day.

The political horizon has cleared considerably and it was believed this evening that General von Schleicher would be made Chancellor regardless of Herr Hitler's attitude.

It is understood the General has come to an interim agreement with President von Hindenburg to form a presidential Cabinet.

As a conciliatory measure, it is reported the President is providing an amnesty for political offenders sentenced by the special courts during the recent hectic months.

Since the resignation of Chancellor von Papen, Germany has been without a Government. Herr Hitler refused to form a Government after the President had refused him the power of a dictator.

Attention was drawn to the resolutions passed by the Chamber of Princes in February last and particularly to the necessity for the provision of adequate safeguards in the constitution. Generally it was agreed that powers must be given to the Governor-General to carry out effectively the responsibilities entrusted to him, including the power to take immediate action to meet any emergency that might arise. — British Wireless Service.

### GOVERNMENT BACK IN NANKING

Nanking, Yesterday. The National Government has issued a mandate proclaiming the return of the Capital to Nanking on December 1. — Reuter.

### GREAT BRITAIN CONSIDERING INTERNATIONAL AIR FORCE

French Suggestion to Help Disarmament Under Review.

London, To-day. Asked whether questions involved by the development of an International Air Force, as proposed by the French Government at the Geneva Disarmament Conference, were being considered, the Prime Minister in the House of Commons said these and all connected questions were being considered by His Majesty's Ministers. — British Wireless Service.

### GOVERNORS' POWERS IN INDIA

Conference Discusses Constitution.

London, To-day. Discussion of the special powers and responsibilities of the Governor-General and Governors, was continued at yesterday's meeting of the Indian Round Table Conference and will probably be completed at to-day's sessions.

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### NATIONS SEEK TO RAISE OIL PRICE.

Soviet Understood To Be Amenable.

Paris, To-day. An attempt is being made to raise the price of oil about 25 per cent by a restriction agreement, according to those closely associated with members of the International Oil Conference.

It is rumoured that the Soviet has unofficially intimated that she will join in any agreement arrived at by the Conference to limit the production of oil. — Reuter.

Berlin, Nov. 23. Adolf Hitler, fiery leader of the German Fascists or Nazis, was forced to admit his defeat to-day. After a nine-year drive for the chancellorship of Germany, he was forced to admit that he could not form a cabinet which could depend upon the support of the Reichstag.

Answering the mandate of President Paul von Hindenburg, who commissioned him to form a parliamentary government, Hitler replied this morning that the formation of a new

cabinet upon a parliamentary basis was impossible. Hitler advised the president that he believed such a step not only impossible but undesirable and added that the present cabinet crisis in Germany could be solved only by the formation of a ministry directly responsible to the president. This violates both the theory of responsible democratic government and the conditions which Hindenburg imposed upon Hitler.

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### BRITAIN ANSWERS AMERICAN NOTE

### BALDWIN WARNS NATION OF CRITICAL POSITION

#### VITAL PRONOUNCEMENTS

LONDON, To-day.

GREAT BRITAIN HAS DESPATCHED HER REPLY TO THE AMERICAN NOTE ON WAR DEBTS AND, THOUGH THE CONTENTS OF THE COMMUNICATION HAVE BEEN KEPT A STRICT SECRET, IT IS BELIEVED THAT ARGUMENTS FOR THE POSTPONEMENT OF THE DECEMBER 15 DEBT PAYMENT TO AMERICA ARE EXHAUSTIVELY SET FORTH.

The note is regarded as one of the most important pronouncements since the war, since it will outline Great Britain's financial views and probably set an example to the rest of Europe.

That the situation is critical, commentators do not hesitate to admit. Mr. Stanley Baldwin, in a warning speech, urged critics to guard their tongues that no ill-feeling or resentment should be aroused between Britain and America, and the task of the Government made that much more difficult.

The British reply to the United States note on war debts was read in its final form at the meeting of Cabinet yesterday.

Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, when asked for a statement on the subject by the leader of the Opposition, Mr. George Lansbury, in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, said in reply that the note had now been completed and would be transmitted to Washington forthwith.

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#### NEW G.O.C. FOR LONDON.

Succeeds The Late Maj-Gen. Cator.

MAJ-GEN. C. J. C. GRANT.

London, To-day.

The War Office announces that Major-General Grant has been appointed General Officer Commanding the London District in succession to the late Major-General Cator. — British Wireless Service.

Major-General C. J. C. Grant, C.B., D.S.O., commenced his military career in 1897, when he joined the Coldstream Guards. After three years in the South African War, he served throughout the duration of the European War and was wounded in both campaigns, both British and foreign.

Major-General A. B. E. Cator, C.B., D.S.O., before taking over the London District Command, was Commander of the Lucknow District from 1927 to 1931. Like his successor, he served in two campaigns and had a distinguished record.

Sir Godfrey Collins, the Secretary of State for Scotland.

Yesterday's meeting of Cabinet lasted two hours and all members were present, with exception of Mr. Stanley Baldwin and Sir John Gilmour, who left early in the day for Scotland, where they have platform engagements.

The note will constitute one of the most important official pronouncements issued since the war. It is a lengthy document in which, in response to the United States' request, the reasons that led Britain to make her original request for a postponement of the December instalment of war debt payments are exhaustively set out. It will be issued for publication in to-morrow's newspapers in London. — British Wireless Service.

Roosevelt's Stand.

New York, To-day. President-elect Roosevelt voiced opposition in a statement to some aspects of President Hoover's foreign debt programme but said he was in accord with him on others.

Any suggestions as to a solution of America's "beer problem" will be welcomed by members of the House Ways and Means Committee.

There is a strong movement afoot to bring the licensing of beer sellers back to America before Christmas. — Reuter.

### BALDWIN FEARS CRITICISM OF U.S. HARMFUL

Urges Critics To Guard Tongues.

#### DEBT SITUATION DELICATE

London, To-day.

The difficulties of America in the present war debt situation were emphasised by Mr. Stanley Baldwin in a speech at Glasgow last night. Referring to the debt, he said he had every reason to believe that the American attitude to Britain was the friendliest possible; but it was difficult at the moment politically and constitutionally for her to act.

He hoped any criticism made in England might be restrained, because the matter of debts at present was delicate and proceedings must be cautious. Any unwise words might do a great deal of harm to Anglo-American relations. — Reuter.

### AMERICA CONSIDERS ECONOMIC PARLEY

Projected Conference Under Discussion.

New York, To-day.

The projected World Economic Conference was considered at two protracted meetings, one at the State Department and the other at the White House.

War debts were not discussed. — Reuter.

### U.S. BREWERS IN SESSION.

Will Report On "Beer" To Congress.

Washington, To-day. Representatives of the United States Brewers' Association gathered here to-day for a series of meetings at which they will discuss plans for a "state industry" for the manufacture of beer. They will report to Congress on their findings.

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### CHINESE RETREAT REPORTED

Heavy Fighting Anticipated.

#### ARMY MOVES BY MOTOR

Tokyo, To-day.

The advance units of the Japanese army have occupied Chalantun. The main force is rapidly moving up.

Although heavy fighting is still anticipated, so far the Chinese troops have avoided a real clash and are reported in retreat.

Su Attacked.

In contradiction of reports from Shanghai that Su Ping-wen had consented to negotiate for the release of 250 Japanese he is holding, came word from Changchun to-day that the Japanese army had launched a general offensive against Su's positions.

The Japanese forces are moving in the direction of Haier, and commenced their advance yesterday morning.

Su Ping-wen, it is understood, has emphatically refused to negotiate for the release of the Japanese prisoners. It is feared they will be slain, if they are not already.

Yesterday, Japanese opened their attack in the direction of Chalantun on the Nonni River front, a force of about 20,000 pushing towards a powerful Volunteer Army in the foothills.

The Chinese positions in the hills were said to be strong, but they have, apparently, offered little, if any, resistance.

A Big Force.

The Japanese are using several thousand men and have advanced 80 miles, the vanguard entering Chalantun yesterday evening and the main body rapidly following up.

The temperature is below zero but the frost-bound ground assisted in the rapidity of the advance of the Japanese infantry, who were mainly transported in motors, and the cavalry.

The Japanese report that the Chinese rapidly retreated whenever they were encountered. — Reuter.

### PRETTY TAGGERS COLLECT \$4,599.

Total Slightly Behind That Of Last Year.

The annual Rose Day, in aid of the funds of the Society of St.



# The Woman's Page



## WOOLLEN GOWNS FOR EVENING.

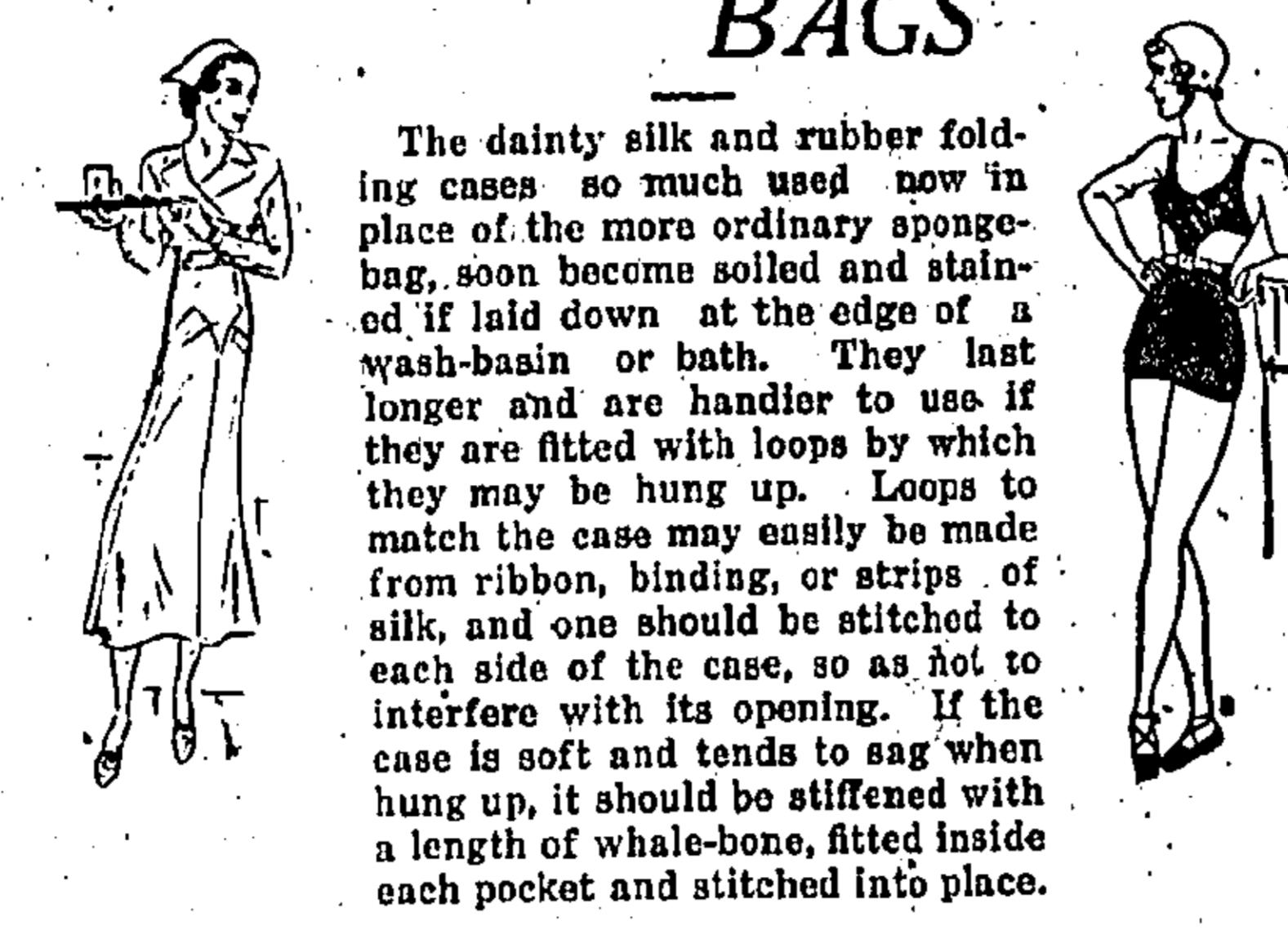
### Velveteen Looks Hard At Night.

The woollen evening gown is much discussed. It may be smooth like featherweight broadcloth or slightly rough, as in almost transparent wool voile. The disadvantage of a woollen evening frock is in the texture; it is not silky enough for artificial light. Velveteen evening gowns are open to much the same criticism.

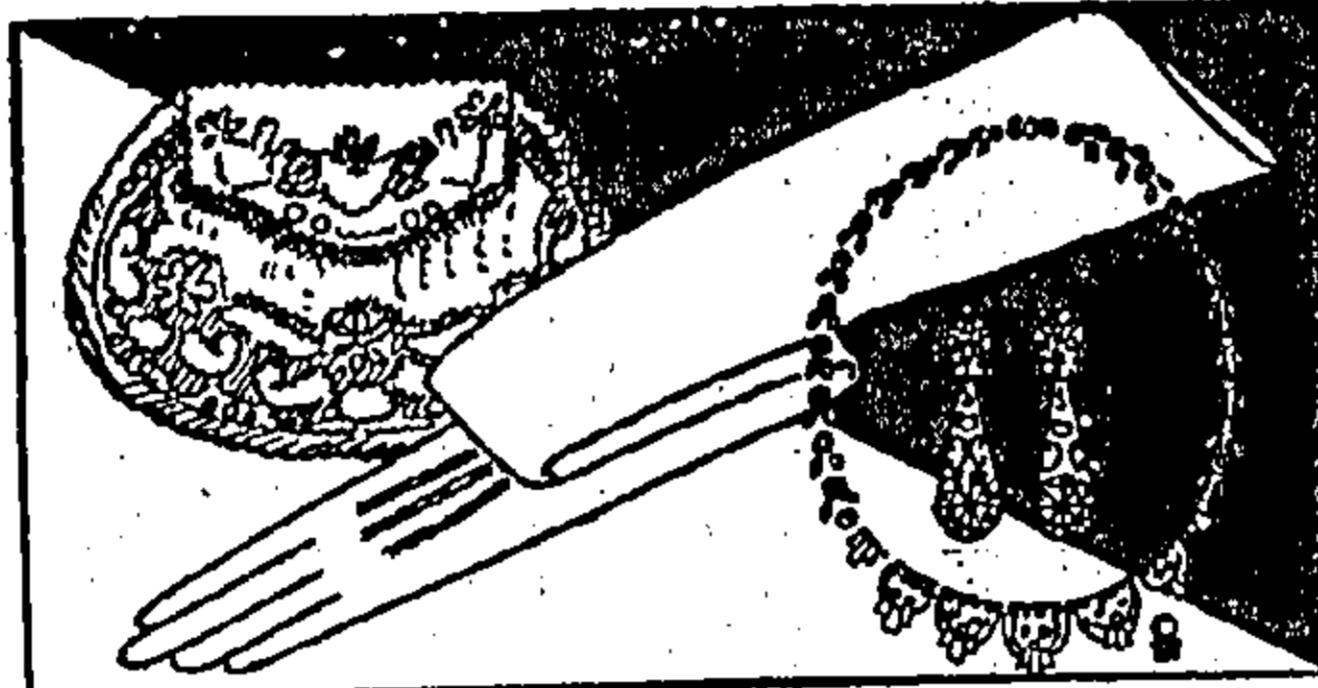
Velveteen looks hard in the evening, though it makes up very well into coats and wraps. Crushed velvet, on the other hand, drapes exquisitely and does not need much elaboration.

So far feathers have been the most suitable trimming. The most upstanding neck trimming is the velvet ruffie on afternoon and evening gowns; made of large bows in series it is fixed on the shoulder line with metal clips.

## SPONGE BAGS



The dainty silk and rubber folding cases so much used now in place of the more ordinary spongebag, soon become soiled and stained if laid down at the edge of a wash-basin or bath. They last longer and are easier to use if they are fitted with loops by which they may be hung up. Loops to match the case may easily be made from ribbon, binding, or strips of silk, and one should be stitched to each side of the case, so as not to interfere with its opening. If the case is soft and tends to sag when hung up, it should be stiffened with a length of whale-bone, fitted inside each pocket and stitched into place.



### MAKESHIFT PERCOLATOR.

When a glass-topped coffee percolator is temporarily put out of action by the breakage of the glass, it may still be used if a muslin bag is substituted for the perforated aluminium coffee-container. The bag should be large enough to hold the required amount of ground coffee easily. A few fine grounds may penetrate the muslin, and after sufficient boiling the coffee should be allowed to stand for a few minutes to clear.

Heavily lacquered satin is liked for interior pyjamas, a black satin pair worn with a multi-coloured balloon-sleeve blouse of fine knitted wool being an unusual and practical version.



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## Menu Suggestions For To-morrow

**Breakfast.**  
Orange Juice  
Cocked Wheat Cereal Cream  
Soft Cooked Eggs  
Buttered Toast Coffee  
Luncheon.  
Vegetable Soup Crackers  
Sugar Cookies Peach Sauce  
Tea

**Dinner.**  
Chicken Creole en Casserole  
Buttered Spinach  
Bread Butter  
Beet Salad in Gelatine  
Fresh Gingerbread Coffee  
Chicken Creole En Casserole  
2 caps diced, cooked chicken.  
2 tablespoons flour.  
1 teaspoon salt.  
1/4 teaspoon paprika.  
1/2 cup chopped celery.  
2 tablespoons chopped green peppers.  
1 cup chicken stock.  
2 cups boiled rice.  
2 cups tomato pulp.  
Sprinkle flour over chicken, pour into buttered casserole. Add rest of ingredients. Cover, cook 1 1/4 hours in moderate oven. Serve in casserole.

**Beet Salad in Gelatine**  
1 package lemon-flavoured gelatine mixture.  
2 cups boiling water.  
2 tablespoons vinegar.  
2 tablespoons horseradish.  
1 teaspoon salt.  
2 cups chopped beets.  
1 tablespoon chopped onions.  
1/2 cup chopped cabbage.  
Pour water over gelatine mixture, stir until dissolved. Cool and pour into mould. Chill until stiff. Unmould on crisp cabbage leaves, top with salad dressing.

**Fresh Gingerbread.**  
1/8 cup fat.  
1 cup dark brown sugar.  
2 eggs.  
1 cup water.  
1/4 cup molasses.  
1/4 teaspoon salt.  
2 1/2 cups flour.  
1 teaspoon soda.  
1 teaspoon baking powder.  
2 teaspoons cinnamon.  
1 teaspoon ginger.  
1 teaspoon cloves.  
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg.  
Cream, fat and sugar. Add rest of ingredients, beat two minutes. Pour into shallow, greased pan. Bake 30 minutes in moderately slow oven. Serve fresh.



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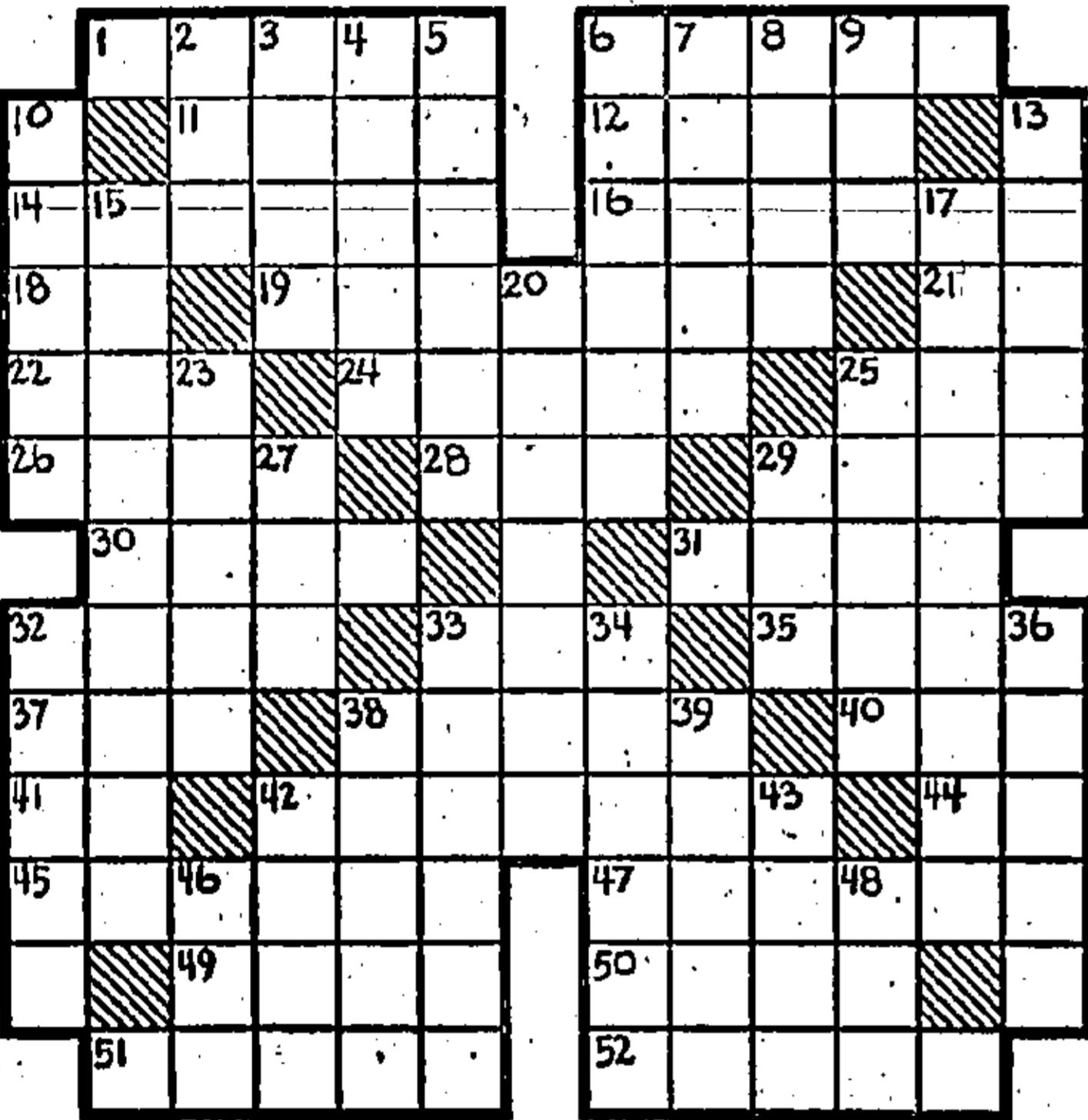
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#### HONG KONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

Found in clothing sent to Benevolent Society pair gold cuff links. Owner can have same on application at the City Hall on Monday or Thursday morning between 10.30 and 11.30.

#### DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



**HORIZONTAL**

- 1-Not costly
- 6-Slumber
- 11-Melody
- 12-Wisdom
- 14-A pronoun
- 15-Euphemism
- 16-Separtes, as a mass
- 17-A thread
- 21-Indefinite article
- 22-Printer's measure (pl.)
- 24-Panopate
- 25-Bustle
- 26-Mature
- 28-Half a score
- 30-A feathered animal
- 31-A plant of the arum family
- 32-A Teat
- 33-Canvas shelter
- 37-Answer (abbr.)

**HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**

- 38-A bundle of straws
- 40-Emile
- 41-Egyptian sun-god
- 42-Bored
- 44-A continent (abbr.)
- 45-A drawing instrument
- 47-Fences
- 49-Glass in a window
- 50-Verbal
- 51-Scare
- 52-A number (pl.)

**VERTICAL**

- 9-A bundle of straws
- 10-Elongated fish
- 11-More docile
- 13-An ecclesiastical council
- 15-Crescentic
- 17-Resistance by Indians (P. I.)
- 20-Studio (Fr.)
- 23-Extends over
- 25-Ventilated
- 27-Before
- 29-Nocturnal mammal
- 32-Small pastry (pl.)
- 33-Portion
- 34-Acquit
- 36-Torment
- 38-Exhausted
- 39-Combining form denoting the presence of iron
- 42-To scrutinize
- 43-College official
- 46-Large monkey
- 48-A beverage

(The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle) will appear in to-morrow's issue.

#### YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION.

SNARLED	DRESSED
TIP	RED APE
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BEEPS	CARNIS ISLE
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## "Over-Heating Bogey" In Modern Cars.

### Hints For Engine Care In Cold Weather

#### USE OF RADIATOR MUFF

1,000 Kilometers Now Completed.

#### BIG PROGRAMME AHEAD.

Chekiang Province's motor highways aggregate approximately 1,000 kilometers and represent an investment which is estimated to be in the neighbourhood of \$6,000,000.

Two years ago Chekiang had but 485 kilometers of motor roads, today it has about 1,000 kilometers of highway and by June of 1933 the province's construction programme will have boosted that figure to 1,500 kilometers, according to statements made by Mr. T. C. Chen, director of the Chekiang Highway Administration.

Questioned as to construction costs, Mr. Chen declared that the average kilometer of motor road represented an outlay of \$4,000. Inclusion of bridges of all types, he emphasized, would involve at least 60 per cent more and bring the average cost per kilometer to \$6,000.

#### Road To Shanghai.

Of Chekiang's total of 1,000 kilometers of completed highway, 189.5 kilometers stretch from Hangchow to the Kiangsu border and constitute that province's section of the Shanghai-Hangchow road. Another 139 kilometers extend from Hangchow to the Kiangsu border on the route to Nanking.

In discussing Chekiang's plans for a chain of roads which will link the leading industrial and agricultural centres of the province Mr. Chen displayed boundless enthusiasm for his work and impressive confidence in the ability of the provincial administration to carry its present programme of construction to completion by June 1933.

Strips of modern highway are being built or extended along numerous routes which will link the leading cities, ports, towns and agricultural centres of fertile Chekiang.

#### Scenic Spots Too.

The beauty spots of China's most beautiful province are not being overlooked, for roads are being built which will take the motorist to places whose praise has been told in song and legend. Eventually all of these will be placed within the reach of the motorist via Hangchow.

The Chekiang capital, under the present administration's plans, is to be the hub, and more and more roads leading in different directions to its borders are contemplated or under construction. In several cases those are being extended beyond the provincial borders into Kiangsu and Anhwei provinces. A further step contemplated will link Hangchow—and thus virtually Chekiang—with Fukien and Kiangsi provinces, thus hooking up the leading cities of the five southeastern provinces of the Republic.

#### MOTOR SPEED ACE TO CHASE THUGS.

Sir Malcolm Campbell's "Flying Squad."

Sir Malcolm Campbell, British speed champion and holder of the world's motor speed record of 253 miles an hour which he established in Florida early this year, plans to assist the police in their campaign against motor bandits.

Sir Malcolm is to be appointed chief of a volunteer flying squad of special constables organized by the chief constable of Reigate, a Surrey town through which runs one of the main arteries from London to the south.

Members of the squad with their cars are subject to call by the police but will not work unless they are accompanied by the regular traffic police.

During recent months motor banditry in England has been a matter of grave concern to the authorities and the pursuit of these bandits is one of the prime reasons for the formation of the new force.

## "Over-Heating Bogey" In Modern Cars.

### Hints For Engine Care In Cold Weather

#### USE OF RADIATOR MUFF

"Probably nothing alarms the To the motor engineer who is average motorist so much as jealous of the good wearing qualities of the 'over-heating' bogey, which of a car in which he is interested, presumably, is a survival of early there is no more distressing sight motorizing days," writes L. R. T. in *The Shanghai Sunday Times*.

The early engines were either exposed, on a cold day; or perhaps air-cooled or water-cooled, but often at work facing a real North-Easter, the provisions made were quite with radiator not even partially inadequate and thus over-heating protected. He senses the harm occurred and was the cause of which is being wrought and the considerable anxiety.

Added to this was the lubrication difficulty—mineral oils were more or and care.

To digress for one moment, the less in their infancy, and an oil To digress for one moment, the really suitable for the job had yet started-up problem in relation to wear and tear raises the important to be evolved. Altogether, this un-possible to keep the hand on the happy combination of circumstances issue of the grade of petrol used raised a prejudice which exists even It is definitely uneconomical in ordinary circumstances, to use commercial grades of petrol in touring cars. Whilst there is, of course, a saving in initial cost, the less volatile spirits are apt to cause endless difficulty when starting up from cold, and, as has already been explained, other and more deep-rooted troubles follow.

For consideration of our second point we go to the crankcase to ascertain what is happening there in a cold engine.

#### Oils Thicken.

It is well known that lubricating oils tend to become thick or viscous at low temperatures, and that whilst the majority of modern motor car engines have their bearings lubricated by oil under high pressure, the pistons, cylinders and gudgeon pins rely upon "splash lubrication." In this process oil is thrown up on the pistons, gudgeon pins and cylinder bores by the revolving crankshaft journals and the connecting rod big-ends.

Now, when the days are getting shorter and Winter conditions are rapidly approaching, is a very appropriate time to consider how the engine of a car is likely to be affected by the cold, and why.

Let us commence at the beginning of events when we go in the morning to our car in preparation for the day's work.

#### Conserved The Heat.

We need not consider here the best means employed to start up from cold, since the subject is fully dealt with in the car Instruction Manual. We are concerned, however, with the important question of an engine warming up, some of its engine temperature and its effects.

The wise motorist will have ing oil in the sump, and gradually thrown a heavy rug over his both engine and oil attain the normal working temperature and all his car, for this very simple precaution makes all the difference to sump will get down to its work starting up the next time. He has much more quickly if, by contact taken the trouble to "conserve" with a warm engine, it retains its heat, which is so important, and his immediate reward is an engine second argument for the conservation of hazards which must be faced every day.

#### Worn Out Control.

"Then, too, such a car is necessarily difficult to operate. Controls have been worn to the extent that their use requires definite effort; poor springs and excessive vibration rob the car of its riding comfort. These factors mean quicker fatigue for the operator, with a consequent loss of that alertness which makes him a careful and efficient driver.

"In this way, the perilous combination of a physically handicapped driver in a mechanically unreliable car is created, to threaten the safety of other cars on the road.

"It is true that a small number of antiquated motor cars are still in good condition, due to superior construction methods and proper care and service throughout their life. These cars, however, are in the minority and it is safe to class the great majority of cars which have passed the average seven year span, as unsafe for daily operation.

#### MALAYA MOTOR SHOW.

The possibilities of organising a combined Motor Show and Rally to be held early in 1933 are being investigated by the A.A. of Malaya.

The rally habit has spread from the Continent to England, from England to Scotland and finally to South Africa!

This is shown by a cablegram from Johannesburg, which states that the first South African Motor Rally has just been concluded. At the moment only the barest details are available, but it appears that competitors were required to cover 1,500 miles of surfaces which would have horrified many of the drivers in the recent R.A.C. and Scottish rallies.

One of the most success competitors was Mr. R. L. Evans who, at the wheel of a 9 h.p. Triumph saloon, secured three premier award trophies and a gold medal.

#### WOMAN BARBER'S SHOP ON ROAD.

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Miss Muriel Warburton, of Bristol, claims to be the only woman travelling hairdresser in England. Her barbershop is a converted second-hand motor-car, and in it she not only dresses the hair of women, but she shaves men and trims their beards.

"The women of the South have the best heads of hair in the country," she said in an interview. "Next came the women of the North, and then those living in the Midlands. But the women of the Midlands are the most particular."

Miss Warburton, who has her regular customers throughout England, sometimes opens up her car in the market towns and announces to the populace that she will shave a woman's hair for 2s. 6d. Shave a man for 4d. Trim a man's beard for 2d.

This plucky woman, who was hit by the economic slump and left without a job in Bristol a few years ago, budget herself a bicycle and started out looking for orders. In two years she had saved enough to buy a motor-car. When Miss Warburton dresses for work she wears coloured overalls—a different colour for her new and women customers.

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The Motor Car Draw will take place on December 11 in the Cathedral Compound.

**IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES ORDINANCES, 1911****AND IN THE MATTER OF THE TAI TUNG MATCH COMPANY, LIMITED.**

(In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in pursuance of Section 181 of the Companies Ordinances, 1911, a meeting of Creditors will be held at the Offices of the Liquidators, Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews, 2nd Floor, Mercantile Building, 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hong Kong, on Thursday, 29th day of December, 1932, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose provided for in the said Section.

Dated this 30th day of Nov., 1932.

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Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on MONDAY, 5th December, 1932.

By Order.

S. A. SLEAP,  
Actx. Secretary,  
Hong Kong, 1st December, 1932.

**GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of Green Island Cement Company, Limited, held at Exchange Building, Victoria, in the Colony of Hong Kong, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of August, 1932, a Call of \$2.75 per share was made upon all the members holding shares, whose names appear in the Company's register of shareholders on the 17th day of August, 1932, upon which only \$1.00 per share has been paid, and it was determined that such Call should be paid on the 31st day of December, 1932, to the Company's Bankers, the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, at their Head Office, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, aforesaid.

Upon presentation at the Office of the Company of Bankers' Receipt for the payment of such Call, together with the Certificates of Shares, a note of the payment will be endorsed on the Certificate.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1932.

By Order of the Board  
ALLAN KEITH,  
Secretary.

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**MAIL REVIEW****"VIENNESE NIGHTS"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.**

With honours evenly divided between Vivienne Segal, daughter of a cobbler, and the charming and delightful, and yet emotional, lyrics of Sigmund Romberg, "Viennese Nights" is the current attraction at the Queen's Theatre. Miss Segal, has the greatest role of her audible celluloid career.

In "Viennese Nights" she dominates three generations of her and another family, the thematic motif, "the deathlessness of beauty," and ultimately witnesses the union of the third generations, where family pride had prevented it in the first.

Jean Hersolt, veteran character actor, more than amply fills the role of the ambitious German father. Louise Fazenda is the fluffy, gossipy bit to perfection and Walter Pidgeon the typical youthful baron. Bert Roach left little to be desired in his characterisations of three generations. Miss Alice Day, Miss June Purcell and Mr. Milton Douglas filled handily the supporting sides.

**MAIL REVIEW****"THE VANISHING FRONTIER"—KING'S THEATRE.**

California, as one might expect it to be shortly after the Vigilantes had cleaned up the major portion of the state, is depicted in "The Vanishing Frontier" now showing at the King's Theatre.

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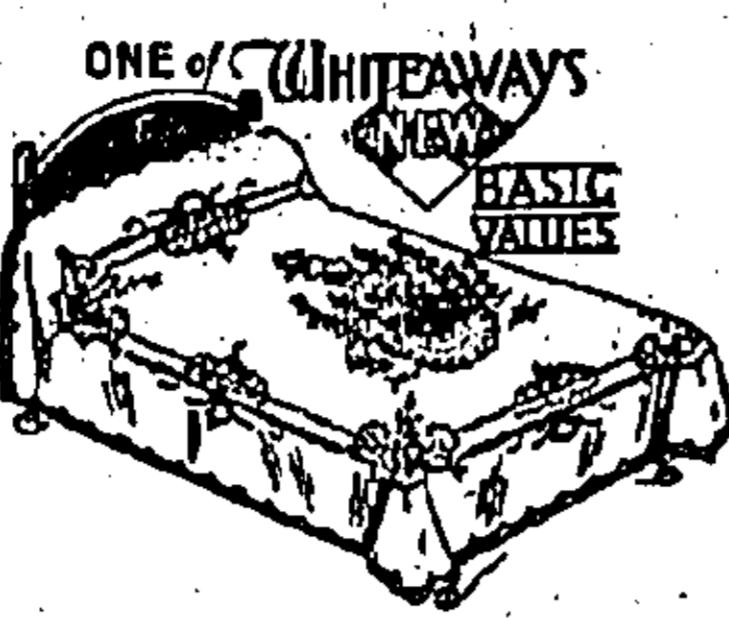
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## Empire Free Trade.

Although Hong Kong's participation in the Ottawa agreements is of necessity slight, the Colony's contribution is no less sincere and the stimulus given to Empire trade is a source of deep satisfaction locally. The complete text of the agreements concluded at the Imperial Conference is now available here and a survey reveals that the concessions made are more substantial and embracing than had been anticipated. Now that the modified duties have become effective in the Dominions a great step has been taken towards freer trade throughout the Empire. It is also clear from the Blue-book that, for the first time, the dependent Colonies have been brought right into the economic picture, included in the preferential system, and given substantial advantages in the markets of the Dominions as well as of Great Britain for a great number of their most important products. What is also new is the publication of the scheme outlined for the restriction of the importation of foreign meat in Great Britain in order to bring about that rise in wholesale prices by which alone British and Dominion growers can be saved from ruin, and which—it is a point on which too much emphasis cannot be laid—will also benefit the foreign grower in Argentina and elsewhere, and will constitute an important set-off to what he will lose in the restriction of the quantity he is to be allowed to sell. Now that this fuller information is available there can remain no doubt that the agreements, taken as a whole, do constitute a lowering not a raising of tariff hindrances to trade. The very moderate increases in the British duties on a small, carefully selected list of foreign imports are more than balanced by the immediate reductions in the Dominion duties, even leaving out of account the benefits to be expected in the future from the more moderate and more discriminating tariff policy to which the Dominions have pledged themselves. There is ample justification for the conviction expressed by the Conference at its final sitting "that, by the lowering or removal of barriers among themselves provided for in these agreements, the flow of trade between the various countries of the Empire will be facilitated; and that, by the consequent increase of the purchasing power of their peoples the trade of the world will also be stimulated and increased." The critics who determined in advance to damn the agreements have average will work out at about

HERE, THERE  
and  
EVERYWHERE.

The untidy state of a Chinese woman's hair caught the eye of a Central Police Magistrate the other morning. The woman claimed she was Hong Kong born, but the appearance of her hair caused Mr. Wynne-Jones to remark to the interpreter—"Is she an Annamite?" The interpreter smilingly replied that her hair had not been made properly, as it was "too early in the day".

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## Giant Frog.

The largest frog known is the giant Bull Frog of Africa. It weighs ten pounds. The smallest species of frog is found in Cuba. It is so tiny that its weight is hardly equal to that of three grains of wheat. It would take twenty thousand Cuban frogs to equal the weight of one bull frog.

## Your Daily Smile.

ONE OR THE OTHER.  
SMITH: It must be nice to own a car.

MILLER: I know it ought to be, but I've never enjoyed it. Either the car is being repaired, or else I am.

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## The Bull Dog Breed.

English domestic servants are said to be the world's worst. Britons never, never shall be slaves.

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## GROAN UPS.

"So many elderly people seem to spend all their time groaning," writes a schoolboy.

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## BOTH HOPELESS.

Two boys were discussing absent-minded uncles. One said:

"My uncle is so absent-minded that he went to get on his bicycle and fell because it wasn't there."

"That's nothing," replied the second. "My uncle once struck a match to see if he had blown the candle out."

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## BETTER SETTLE UP.

"Take off your jacket and come upstairs with me, my lad," said the father.

"But, dad," whimpered the boy, "you're not going to lick me, are you?"

"I'm certainly going to," said the angry parent. "Didn't I tell you I would settle with you if you misbehaved yourself?"

"Yes," said the boy, "But I thought it was only a joke, like when you told the grocer you were going to settle with him."

## Facts You Did Not Know.

The longest airplane route in the world has been established by the Netherlands, linking Amsterdam with Java, 9,135 miles away.

The United States exported more than 30,500,000 linear feet of sound and silent motion pictures in the first six months this year.

Bacteria have been developed in Germany that are said to eat the poison in illuminating gas and make it safe for persons to breathe.

A stone desk blotter has been invented, heating it renewing the absorbing quality of its surface each time it becomes filled with ink.

17 per cent. and the minimum preference will be 15 per cent., except for certain specified exceptions of no very great importance to British trade. Valuable concessions are also made by New Zealand, South Africa, and the other Dominions, as well as by India, in return, of course, for equally valuable concessions by Great Britain. In appraising the New Zealand schedule, it must be borne in mind that the great good will which has always been shown to British trade by that Dominion left very little room for further concessions. The fuller information shows that the Conference has achieved a definite initial success in lowering trade barriers and facilitating economic development within the Empire. The extent to which development will follow must depend on the energy and capacity with which the producers, manufacturers, and traders of the Empire make use of their new opportunities, and on the removal of the political, financial, and economic obstacles which hamper trade recovery throughout the world.

## THE TIRED RULERS

## HEAVY DEMANDS OF WORLD POLITICS

## MOST LEADERS FIND BITTER REWARD

Benjamin Disraeli once said that lighted, it is still difficult to distinguish between news and unpopularity. Were he delivering this nightmare, but it would be straining credulity to believe that Stalin has escaped the rigours of present-day political responsibility. The Continent talks freely of the dictator's pending departure, and the commonest reports are of an intrigue to depose him.

This suggests that at least poetic justice has a place in Soviet country, for Stalin gave a realistic performance of the cat among political pigeons when he got rid of Trotsky, out-flanked Tomsky, and became absolute. By now Stalin has realised that they are physically and emotionally worn as a conclusion that the almost limitless patience forced upon one during recent months, when the courtesies of advantages; while such passivity travel have brought opportunities of meeting and studying several lead-makings of the people on the Continent and in the United States.

Weary Hindenburg.

Apart from the burden of the crisis, which a recent Encyclical described as "the most serious and widespread since the Deluge," the issues of modern politics have never been so vital, and public life has never been so exacting. Yet the imperative call for forceful direction is falling upon the ears of tired rulers.

The moderates in Germany—that vast, educated middle-class now wrought from some of the choicest existing in shabby misery, yet still areas of the Austrian-Hungarian Republic—are to-day in the age of many national aspirations in throes of a scepticism born of depression. Not the least of its causes is the almost helpless weariness of panorama for homelier scenes. Political leadership in Great Britain is categorical and constitutionally different from the appointed rulers of the Continent, but the stress of birthday.

There was a pathetic story in his world events does not fall less tired and faded eyes. The crowd crowded upon a leader whose power had acclaimed him with throaty and is held in trust for a majority of vociferous "Hochs," and some less of the country's adult population. The intelligent displays, but their greeting evoked no answering spark of is over throwing greater responsibilities upon Ministers.

The President was full of years. At the same time the task of His gait was slow and his movements laboured and spiritless. This England's First Minister is truly meeting left me with an outstanding majestic. The virility of the Primo impression of having witnessed one Minister is a matter for national of the tragedies of modern politics, gratitude, and is unquestionable of the man I saw was a sorrowful and as his native courage. But the overburdened patrician, a man of strain of the last eighteen months, unimpeachable loyalty and patriotism, but an old man who had long ago earned tranquillity, yet also trouble, is still a matter of uneasiness dare not retire, for his country's sake.

To observe him after a strenuous round of meetings in his constituency, devoting the entire return journey back to London to concentrated work on Cabinet papers and draft bills, is to look upon a feat of human endurance amazing to a layman.

Yet that must perform become commonplace to one who so conscientiously carried the duties of office.

Which leads one observer to the conclusion that to the modern politician parliamentary skill unsupported by parliamentary endurance is a feeble thing. The supremely useful man of politics is the leader of Herculean mind and temper, who is not defeated by the indefatigable toll of modern public office.

SLAIN MAN LEFT \$1,844,900 ESTATE.

Stipulated Cost Of His Funeral.

Mr. Woo Hay-tong, the Hong Kong millionaire compradore of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, who was murdered in June this year, has left estate to the value of \$1,844,900.

Mr. Woo Hay-tong, alias U. Hang-shing, who was 57 years of age, resided at 15, Kennedy Road, and probate to the will has been granted to Messrs. S. T. Butlin and H. R. Forsyth, two of the partners of Messrs. Linstead and Davis, of Gloucester Building, estate agents and chartered accountants, power being reserved to make a like grant to Mr. C. B. Brown, one of the other partners of Linstead and Davis.

His residence, 15, Kennedy Road, he bequeathed upon trust to the trustees during the life of his wife, concubines and children. A clause in the will stated that his own funeral expenses should not exceed \$10,000.

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## CONSULAR INVOICE OFFICE OPENED

Prominent Official As Head Here.

In an interview with Press representatives yesterday, Mr. Y. H. Wan, who has been appointed by the Nanking Government to be Chinese Invoice Officer for Hong Kong under the new arrangements which call for the certifying of all invoices of goods destined for China, gave details of procedure which was published in the *China Mail* of Thursday, September 1.

Mr. Wan is a native of Tsishan, Kwangtung Province, but spent his early years in North China. In fact, he has travelled widely in China, except in the North. In 1904 Mr. Wan went to the U.S.A. to complete a military education at the famous academy at West Point and subsequently saw military service in China both before and after the Revolution. He has also held the office of President of the Ching Wha College, Peking, and was later Chief of Police in Harbin, followed by a term of office as Chief of Police in Shanghai, where he was in charge during the troublous days early this year.

The new Chinese Invoice Office is established on the fourth floor of the French Bank Building in Queen's Road Central where, at the time of the Press visit, a crowd of office messengers was clamouring for specimens of the invoice form, a model of which was available for free distribution.

## MURDER HEARING OPENS MONDAY.

Four Men Charged With Crime.

Every afternoon of next week has been reserved by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court for the preliminary hearing of the Victoria Road Murder case, in which four men stand charged. The murdered man was found on the morning of September 27 last tied to a tree, his face having been crushed with a stone. For a long time the body was unidentified.

The hearing will commence on Monday at 2.30 p.m. Mr. J. A. Fraser (Assistant Attorney-General) for the Crown, stated this morning that the case was a lengthy one.

## COMMITTED FOR MURDER.

Wharf Coolie To Stand Trial.

Lo Chong, wharf coolie, was yesterday committed for trial at the next sittings of the Criminal Sessions on a charge of murdering Tong Tatt, on the night of October 23 during a fight on the praya.

Mr. Wynne-Jones presided at the hearing. The Assistant Attorney-General (Mr. J. A. Fraser) conducted the prosecution and Mr. Horace Lo appeared for the defendant.

## CONSTABLE HELD ON OPIUM CHARGE.

Case Adjourned In Police Court.

A Chinese constable, P. C. Lau King, was one of two men appearing in the dock in Mr. Schenck's Court yesterday afternoon when they were charged with the possession of contraband opium.

Lau King is charged with having 12 taels of opium and with misconduct, while Wong Chi, alleged keeper of an opium divan, is charged in respect of eleven taels.

They were represented respectively by Mr. F. C. E. Rendall and Mr. Peter Sin.

The case was adjourned.

## RIVER STEAMSHIP ANCHORED.

Shiu Hing Company Sells Vessel.

The sum of \$130,000 was realised yesterday on the Hong Kong-Canton river steamer, ss. Wing On, which was sold by auction by Messrs. Lamont Bros. for the Shiu Hing Steamboat Company. The vessel was purchased by Messrs. Tang Shiu-kim and Fung Kai-ying.

The Wing On is a vessel 190 feet in length, with a beam of 35 feet, her net tonnage being 750 tons.

## DR. LIM TRUSTS IN LEAGUE.

Holds Conference In Canton.

Following his discussion with the Central Committee of Canton, regarding the foreign policy and attitude to Japan, Dr. Lim Fung-hai returned to Hong Kong on Tuesday and yesterday called on Mr. Hu Han-min, a member of the Central Standing Committee, later cabling his report to Dr. Lo Wen-kan.

When seen yesterday by a *China Mail* reporter, Dr. Lim declined to divulge what transpired at the Canton conference. He stated that he would not be returning to the North until the decision of the League Council is known in respect of the Lytton Report. He was very optimistic regarding the League's attitude towards China.

## COOLIES INJURED IN FIRE.

Stable Matsched Destroyed.

While a number of folks were engaged in mixing paint in the backyard of the Kwok Man Paint Factory, Ki Lung Street, the paint suddenly became ignited yesterday afternoon. The Fire Brigade were called to the scene. Two folks sustained burns to their faces, and hands and were removed to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

A matsched, measuring 80 feet by 40 feet, situated near the Polo Ground, Causeway Bay, and occupied as a stable, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. The stables were unoccupied at the time of the outbreak, the cause of which is at present unknown.

## STOLEN WATCH IN PAWNSHOP.

Ordered Returned To Owner.

A gold watch, which was stolen from Mrs. H. Collier, 8a, Hankow Road, Kowloon, on October 19 last, was recovered in a pawnshop in Queen Victoria Street recently, and an order for its return to Mrs. Collier without payment to the pawnbroker was made by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning.

The pawnbroker stated that a Chinese woman pawned the watch for \$8 on the afternoon of October 19.

## BRITAIN ANSWERS AMERICAN NOTE

(Continued from Page 1.)

New York Governor, referring to President Hoover's proposal for a Debt Commission.

Mr. Roosevelt reiterated his view, expressed at the White House conference, that the questions of postponement of the December payments and general revision, raised in the British and French notes, rested with the administration now in office.

Capacity of Debtors.

The Democratic leader said he was in accord with President Hoover's view that the debts were actual loans made with the intention that they would be repaid, that they should be considered individually and not collectively, that the settlements made should consider the debtors' capacity to pay, and that the European obligations to the United States had no relation to the problem of reparations paid by Germany to her World War foes.

"With regard to the general policies respecting those debts, I firmly believe the individual debtor should, at all times have access to the creditor, that he should have the opportunity to place representations regarding law and facts before the creditor, and that the creditor should always give courteous, sympathetic and thoughtful consideration to such facts and representations," said the statement.

## SOME DRIZZLE

The Royal Observatory's weather report for to-day states: "The anti-cyclone continues to move eastward and is now centred over South Japan."

Fresh monsoon will prevail along the south coast of China and over the Northern China Sea.

Forecast: - N.E. winds, fresh, cloudy, some drizzle.

## ITALIAN CONSUL LEAVING

Capt. Ferrajolo Goes To Mukden.

Capt. R. Ferrajolo, who has been in Hong Kong for the last 18 months in the capacity of Italian Consul-General, will be leaving the Colony on Dec. 5 for Mukden.

Capt. Ferrajolo arrived in Hong Kong after having spent 13 years in other parts of the Far East, always attached to the Italian Diplomatic Service in Shanghai, Harbin, Peking, Hankow and Mukden.

His cheerful disposition and sincerity made him a friend to all who had the pleasure of meeting him, and his tactfulness joined with his generosity and ability will be long remembered by those who had the privilege of making his acquaintance.

The departure of both Capt. and Mrs. Ferrajolo will be a deeply felt loss to the Italian Community of Hong Kong, who had for them, not only a sense of respect, but a feeling of friendship.

Capt. Ferrajolo is again going to join his post in Mukden and it is owing to his great knowledge of that particular country that the decision was arrived at. He is probably the only man of his nationality in China actually capable of fulfilling such a delicate position.

## CONTRACTORS PAY HEAVY FINES.

Faulty Construction Countenanced.

Heavy fines were imposed by Mr. H. R. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, when five contractors were charged with using defective material and omitting steel reinforcement in building construction.

Mr. E. C. Moore, Engineer of the P.W.D. prosecuted.

Tso Wing-cheong, of 29, Po Kong Road, Kowloon City, Wa Cheong of 19, Wan Kee, Kowloon City and Ching Sang Kee of 19, Po Kong Road, Kowloon City were fined \$500 each for using defective material.

Tsang Kam Kee, of 109, Second Street, West Point, was fined \$1,000 for material divergence from plan in omitting steel reinforcement. Kwong Tsun-kee was similarly fined for the same offence.

## THREE JAPANESE TAKEN IN RAID.

Valuable Store Of Opium Seized.

A raid carried out by Revenue Officer Ward and party in the Wan Chai district last night, resulted in the arrest of three Japanese men at 86a, and 86b Lockhart Road, charged with selling opium. Nine hundred small one-tael tins of non-Government opium were seized. The value of the opium is estimated at \$10,800.

The three men, Kiyoshi Tadokoro, 44, fisherman, Otomatsu Hotta, 39, fish paste maker, and Yoshito Nishimoto, 27, shop assistant, were brought before Mr. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Mycock and their two children arrived back from Home on the Kaiser-i-Hind, yesterday. Mr. Mycock is in the Education Department and was prior to going on leave, Headmaster of the Yaumati Government School.

The Consul-General for the Netherlands in Hong Kong informs us that the Netherlands Indian Government have rescinded the orders by which Hong Kong, Macao, Canton, Swatow and Amoy had been declared infected ports on account of cholera.

Hitler Admits He Can Not Form Cabinet Dependent on Reichstag

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The sensational Australian Girl artistes, the sisters Misses Lane and Marie Maye, are delighting audiences nightly at the Peninsula Hotel Rose Room Diner-Dance. In addition to being talented dancers both possess highly phasing singing voices, and their contributions of amusing sketches provoke a trained merry laughter and approbation.

On Saturday night these mirth-makers are again giving an entire change of numbers from their extensive repertoire which appears to contain an unlimited variety of entertaining features conducive to pleasant surprises quite out of the ordinary.

Miss Augusta Rosario and Miss Winifred McShane, of the Porthcurno Convent, Malacca, are leaving for Hong Kong where they will take up residence.

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To-Day's Short Story.

## THE PIONEERS OF PIKE'S PEAK

By Basil  
Tozer.

IT was a perfect night about the end of June, the sort of night common enough in Colorado at that time of the year. At the end of the game we rose from the card-table and strolled out into the cool, refreshing air. The stars were shining with extraordinary brilliance in a sky so clear that one seemed almost to hear them winking. The moon had not yet risen above the range of mighty peaks which tower into the heavens until their crests gradually vanish in great belts of clouds; and at night seem to touch the lowermost of the celestial bodies; but a sort of halo, gradually spreading, served to show that presently the moon herself would shed a flood of light from the summit of the highest peaks down into the little village nestling at the feet of the mighty range. No sound broke the perfect stillness. The very houses seemed to sleep.

It was only when my friend and I re-entered the smoky bar saloon where our companions, grown tired of card playing, were now quietly talking, that we noticed an odd-looking and apparently elderly stranger seated alone beside a little window at the farther end of the room. The window was open, and he was staring through it vacantly, interrupting his reverie only now and again in order to blow a long cloud of smoke into the air. My friend cast a glance of inquiry in his direction.

"He came in about five minutes ago," one of the card-players said.

"Who is he?"

"Some crank, I suppose. He has not stirred since he sat down there." "What is he staring at?" someone asked presently.

"Pike's Peak, apparently," replied Watson, the man who had called the stranger a crank.

"I believe that."

"I was the first to reach it! You don't know the story of our ascent?"

"I know only what I have read and been told," Norton said.

"You yourself have been up Pike's Peak?"

"I have—by the funicular."

"You have seen the summit, then?"

"And what did you see that struck you most—there, fifteen thousand feet above the sea's level?"

Norton had an inspiration.

"Do you mean the stone?" he said.

Instantly the stranger's expression changed.

He looked round at us all quite intelligently.

"It is there, then?" he inquired eagerly, bending forward across the table.

"Of course it is there," Norton replied. "I can give you the inscription word for word."

"Do! What is it? Tell me, what is it?"

"The inscription says: 'This stone is erected in memory of William Daubine, James Weston, and Walter Heller, Pioneers of Pike's Peak, who were devoured by mountain rats while endeavouring to reach this summit.'

"Ah!" he ejaculated, greatly relieved. "I am glad it is there. Do you know the story of my friends, the story of those pioneers?"

He had grown suddenly calm. He seemed suddenly to have regained his reason. Our interest and curiosity were now thoroughly aroused. We could see that the stranger was quite sober and though his mind seemed unshaken, he had now a lucid interval.

We noticed that he poured brandy into his tumbler until it was three parts full. Just then the moon shone over the summit of the famous peak, and from where we sat, the outline of the glorious mountain could be clearly discerned. Watson drew the stranger's attention to it. An odd, bitter smile lit across his face. It was the first time we had seen him smile. He sighed once, but did not utter a word. Then his gaze became again riveted on the gigantic peak.

"Pike never would—never could have reached it." He tried several times. Finally he stood upon a hill near the stalactite caves at the base of my mountain, and, pointing with his arm at the summit, said: "No mortal man will ever tread that peak."

"But we—we were determined to."

"Our friends shook us by the hands and bade us farewell."

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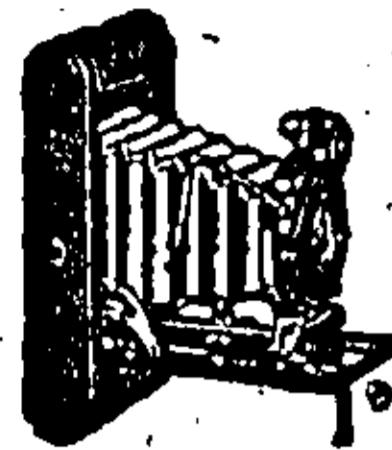
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## Hockey Club Beaten

Medway Officers Avenge  
Earlier Defeat.  
CIVILIANS' SECOND DEFEAT OF  
THE SEASON.

(By CENTRE HALF.)

THE Hong Kong Hockey Club first eleven sustained their second defeat of the season when they lost to the H.M.S. Medway Officers' eleven by the odd goal in three in a return match played on the U. S. R. C. ground.

Yesterday's match was not so fast as compared with the former game which was played on the Navy ground when the Club defeated the Medway by the only goal scored.

The Club were without the services of A. A. Dand, their skipper, J. L. Yetley, on the wing, and G. Duncan, their goal-keeper, and commenced the game with only nine men, A. A. R. Botelio being a late-comer, and causing W. Reed to full back to support Rodger. A Naval officer, who did not wear pads, substituted in goal for Duncan. Had it not been for the stout defence shown by Jack Rodger, the Club might easily have lost by a heavier margin.

The Club miss G. E. R. Divett, their centre-forward whose place has been taken by E. V. Reed. Although not unfamiliar to the position Reed, while being speedy, is prone to hit a little too hard when feeding his wings. He is, strictly speaking, a full back.

W. E. Williams, the Welsh International, while being speedy, was apt to be too selfish, especially in the second half when, at least three gift goals were missed through Williams failing to pass the ball to either E. V. Reed or Francis. The Medway showed perfect understanding, and the stick-work of Currey at centre-forward was pretty to watch. White played his usual hard game at centre-half and was well supported by Colpoys and Majendie.

CLUB WINGERS FAIL.

The Medway staggered the Club when the Medway took the lead in the first ten minutes; Galsford placing the ball into an empty net, as the result of a smart raid. Exchanges were then of a fairly even nature, good defence work on both sides being shown. Lowe displayed good form, and was impressive with his reverse-stick stoppages. W. Reed played his usual hard game, and had a good check on Rimmington, a speedy left-winger. Towards the interval, the Medway became dangerous, and eventually Currey broke through to score with a fast rising shot.

In the second half, the Club were early on the offensive, but outside robbing them of many chances. Guest on the right wing was inclined to be on the slow side, while A. T. Lay, on the left wing, was definitely off form. Going through on his own, Williams hesitated with his shot, but shortly after tested Higham with a stinger, which the goalkeeper saved well. Shortly after W. Reed showed an amazing burst of speed when he dribbled his way into the Medway dee; but Higham proved safe in the face of a good shot. The Club maintained pressure for a while, during which period E. V. Reed found the net to decrease the deficit. Towards the end, the Medway rallied and the Club underwent some very anxious moments but Rodger played a safe game.

Result:  
Club ..... 1  
Medway ..... 3  
H. M. S. Medway—Lieut.-Commander Higham; Commander Colpoys, Lieut.-Commander Majendie; Gunner Hayes, Lieut. White, Lieut. Lloyd; Sub-Lieut. Donald, Lieut. Galsford, Lieut. Currie, Lieut. Bartlett and Lieut. Rimmington, Club—Sub-J. Rodger, A. A. R. Botelho; W. Reed, H. J. D. Lowe, J. E. Potter; A. M. P. Guest; W. E. Williams; E. V. Reed, O. C. Francis and A. T. Lay.

WIN FOR R.A.S.C.

The R.A.S.C. easily defeated the Kowloon Indians by three clear goals in their Mamak Tournament game, most of the play taking part in the Indians' half.

Tipple, Senior and Barlow netted the winners' goals and many goal-scoring chances were missed by the forward.

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## BORDERERS DEFEAT DEVONSHIRE

### GALLETLEY SCORES TRY IN LAST MINUTES

### WOODS AND GAGE OUTSTANDING FOR THE LOSERS

(By Touch Judge.)

PLAYING at Sookunpoo, the Borderers Rugby fifteen met with unexpected resistance from the H.M.S. Devonshire team, and it was not until the final minutes of the game that they secured a try when Galletley went over in the corner for Lloyd to fail with the kick. These were the only points of the match. The naval team fielded a weak three-quarter line, and it was only the hard work of their pack and the steady play of Gage at full back that prevented many tries. Both teams tackled strenuously and the dribbling of the forwards was a feature of the game.

Galletley's try was well deserved, being the result of a fine three-quarter movement in which Martin displayed his amazing turn of speed. Galletley took the ball when almost on the line and was almost forced into touch.

Lt. Comdr. Woods played a particularly good game at stand off half, and tackled and attacked with extraordinary vigour; he made numerous openings which are sadly missed. The game was maintained at a terrific speed throughout, and for the first few minutes the Borderers pressed dangerously. Judicious kicking by the Navy backs, however, relieved the situation, and exchanges were fairly even up to the interval. From the recommencement of the game, the military team worked hard, and the Devonshire line was in danger time and again.

Gage, the naval full back was one of the outstanding players of the match. He gathered and kicked with excellent judgment, and in spite of a nasty scalp injury sustained touching down in the face of forward rush, he continued to play after treatment, and did not spare himself in the least. Barnes played the best game in the Devonshire three-quarter line, but was badly supported, many passes being dropped. Caple was outclassed at the base of the scrum and Woods received little support from him. The latter player, however, accomplished the work of two men, and his spoiling tactics prevented Stevens from opening up the game on many occasions.

The scrums were evenly matched in weight, Tratt being missed for his hooking. Suter deputised for him, but did not enjoy the same success, Stobart getting more than a fair share of the ball. The Devonshire pack executed good wheels in the first half, but for some reason or other did not rise to the occasion in the second half. Brigstock was the best of the naval pack and his vigorous play was most conspicuous. He showed good combination with Swaby and was continually on the ball, controlling it admirably with his feet and making intelligent use of his opportunities.

MARTIN WELL MARKED.

The Devonshire with their willing forwards and somewhat unimpressive backs, were greatly indebted to Gage and their pack for the narrowness of their defeat.

As for the Borderers, Gould at full back had little to do. The three-quarters were impressive, Martin and Galletley being the best of the line. The winger did not have many opportunities for scoring, being closely watched Hamilton well with him, but was selfish. Woods closely watched Hamilton throughout the game and came to grips with him on many occasions.

Shaw missed a golden opportunity to score in the first half after a spell of play on the Devonshire line when he fumbled a neat pass from Hamilton with only a few yards to go.

Stevens and Hoskins were good, Stevens being very quick and agile and finding touch with great accuracy. Hoskins, at the base of the scrum, had few attacking opportunities, and it was bad luck when he slipped when a try seemed almost certain in the second half.

The pack was made of stern stuff and lasted the gruelling pace of the game better than their naval opponents. They had the better of the exchanges in the line-outs and more than held their own in the loose. Crowe-Read and Suter were the outstanding players.

Result:—  
Borderers ..... 3 pts  
Devonshire ..... nil  
Borderers: — Sgt. Gould; Cpl. Shaw, Lieut. Hamilton, Lieut. Martin, Lieut. Galletley; Pte. Hoskins and Pte. Stevens; Pte. Watkins, Cpl. Suter, Pte. Lloyd, Pte. Gilmore, Lt/Cpl. Hardy, Lt. Crowe-Read, Pte. Walters and Pte. Jones.

H.M.S. Devonshire: — A.B. Gage; A.B. Escott, Stoker Hocking, Lt. Armitage and Midshipman Barnes; Lt. Comdr. Woods and Mid. Caple; Lt. Sig. Pratt, E. R. A. Stobart, A.B. Warren, Mid. Corver, Sb-Lt. Hicks, P. O. Cook, Brigstock, Stoker Swaby and Sub-Lt. Woodinfield.

Referee: — Captain Gottwaltz.

FARCISS RUGBY.

In a farcical game on the Club ground yesterday a Club fifteen defeated an inexperienced Medway combination by four goals and three tries (29 pts) to nil. R. O. King (3), D. F. Kelly (2), A. P. King (3), D. F. Kelly (2), A. D. Lowton, A. Hynes scored tries for the Club while W. E. Peers, E. H. Corran and King (2) added goal points.

Scores—  
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## Olympic Divers In Action

### Exhibition In Canton A Great Success.

4,500 CROWD

(By CRAWL.)

THE second diving exhibition by "Dutch" Smith and F. Simalka, the Olympic Games diving champions was another success last night, both divers excelling in all their dives.

Simalka took the leading part last night, when he brought off marvellous back dives, with practically no splash at all. His take-offs amazed the crowd, the spring in each case being of considerable height. "Dutch" Smith brought off a wonderful back dive and a half somersault, entered the water like a knife.

Simalka once again did the half somersault combined with the full twist.

The half and full twist dives were very graceful and were fully appreciated by the spectators who gave the divers a great ovation.

Mr. Summerl, the manager and coach of the team, said that their trip to Canton had been a huge success. A crowd estimated at well over 4,500 being in attendance. Summerl said the crowd was so great that long before the exhibition was due to start, no space was available for walking.

The board in Canton was excellent and conditions, with the exception of the depth of the water, were also good.

Most of the dives performed in Canton were similar to those in Hong Kong, but the finish of each dive, instead of being in the vertical position, was slightly at an angle so as to minimise the danger of striking any submerged rocks, or the hard bottom after entry into the water.

Tonight will be the last chance for local swimming enthusiasts to avail themselves of a wonderful opportunity of seeing world champion athletes in action.

The trio leave for Manila on Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m. by the President Taft.



## "LOLLY" GOLDMAN TO TAKE HOWE'S PLACE AS CLUB LEADER



### GOLDMAN TO PLAY.

"Lolly" Recovers From Head Injury.

DUE BACK MONDAY.  
TO SUCCEED HOWE AS CLUB LEADER.

(By OUTSIDE LEFT)

**A**NDY DUNCAN, who was described by Mr. W. E. Hollands, joint manager of the Colony team, in his exclusive cable to the *China Mail* as the most outstanding player in the match.

### POLICE INTERPORT GAME ON SATURDAY

Local Side Selected

The following have been selected to represent the Hong Kong Police eleven in their match against the Canton Police eleven at Caroline Hill, on Saturday at 3.45 p.m.:—G. J. Perkins; C. Blackbourn, C. Downman; L. Minty, F. E. Channings, A. R. Brittain; T. Pile, G. C. Moss, J. Johnston, J. L. Stephens, C. Pile. Reserves—Williams, Wheeler.

### COLONY SOCCER XI DUE TO-MORROW

Chinese Players Prolong Their Stay.

### TO PLAY CHARITY FOOTBALL

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

**S**HANGHAI To-day. Ten of the sixteen members of the victorious Hong Kong soccer eleven left here yesterday at noon by the President Taft and are expected to arrive back in the Colony on Friday at 7 a.m.

The Chinese members of the side—Cheng Shiu-hong, Wong Mei-shun, Suen Kam-shun, Lau Mau and Leung Wing-chiu—have been persuaded to lend their support to charity matches in aid of the North East Volunteers. They will be included in Combined Chinese eleven which will play a series of games against foreign teams. Mr. Mok Hing-kwai, joint-manager of the Colony team, is also prolonging his stay.

The Interport side, in proud possession of the Interport Cup, were given a royal send off at Customs Jetty, and each member of the side expressed pleasure at the brief visit.

The Colony players who left Shanghai to-day were Jack Rodger, the skipper, Pardoe, the vice-captain, Mullane, Strange, Bliss, Duncan, Howe, Baldry, Bryant, and Mr. W. E. Hollands joint manager of the team.

During their brief stay in the North the Colony side won the Interport Cup by defeating Shanghai by 4 goals to 3, and then proceeded to hold the formidable Combined Chinese team to a draw of one goal-all, after scoring first.

### C. B. S. DEFEATED

On the Recreio ground yesterday, the Kowloon Dock Apprentices defeated the Central British School by 3 goals to 1, after the schoolboys had registered an early goal by Phillips. E. Lawrence recorded the "hat trick" for the Apprentices in the second half.

The team's record was as follows:—K.D.A.: H. Edney, Cunningham, J. Lawrence, Elphinstone, Costa, Mackintosh, Humphreys, Boyd, E. Lawrence, Massayl and Brenden. C.B.S.: Stephens, Daniel, McLeod, Hopkins, Blake, Smith, Thompson, (Lincoln), In Yau-ki (Athletic), Tavares (Radio).

### Lam Yuk-ying.

(Chinese Athletic)



ONE of the finest centre half backs in the Colony Lam Yuk-ying learned his football while a graduate at St. Paul's College. At school Lam showed an all-round aptitude towards sport, being especially promising on the soccer field and the track. He was also excellent at basketball and volleyball. On the track he was brilliant over the high and low hurdles. He was captain of the St. Paul's basketball team for three successive years during which period the school were Colony Champions.

Lam commenced his football career in 1918, and four years later secured his place in the South China team as a half back. After a series of successes with the famous Chinese club he joined the Chinese Athletic in 1925, when the rift in the late occurred and South China lost several of their most promising players.

Lam toured Australia with the South China team in 1925, and has also visited the Philippine Islands, Shanghai, Java and Singapore. He has all seen him in action. In 1928 he captained the victorious Chinese team at the Far Eastern Olympiad, and this year he captained the Athletic when they toured Java. Seriously considered for Interport honours this year Lam had to give way to Barber and Pardoe, whose brilliant play discounted his elaborate artistry. He was a member of the Hong Kong side which lost to Shanghai at the 1931 encounter.

—A. E. L.



THE Hong Kong Interport soccer eleven with the exception of S. Strange, whose place in the final trial was taken by Lau Mau. Reading from left to right (standing): Mullane, Bliss, Pardoe, Duncan, Lau Mau. (Seated): Cheng Shiu-hong, Wong Mei-shun, Howe, Suen Kam-shun, Baldry and Rodger.

### Leading League Goal-Scorers

#### FIRST DIVISION

The following is a list of the leading goal-scorers in the First Division of the League to date:

Jones (Borderers)	17
Ho Ka-kuon (Athletic)	8
Bryant (Artillery)	7
Tan Kong-pak (S. China)	6
Wong Mel-shun (S. China)	6
Moore (Artillery)	6
Kirkham (Lincoln)	4
Johnston (Police)	4
Ng Po-kin (S. China)	3
Reece (Borderers)	2
Purcell (Borderers)	2
Souza (St. Joseph's)	2
Ois Shuk-yan (Taung Tsui)	2
Leung Lin-yick (S. China)	2
Tate (Lincoln)	2
Snooke (Artillery)	2
Pritchard (Borderers)	2
Santos (St. Joseph's)	2
To Wai-hang (S. China)	2
Ng Po-kin (S. China)	2
Reece (Borderers)	2
Purcell (Borderers)	2
Souza (St. Joseph's)	2
Ois Shuk-yan (Taung Tsui)	2
Leung Lin-yick (S. China)	2
Chan Cheung-chung (Athletic)	2
Watson (Club)	2
Santos (Recreio)	2
Discomur (Artillery)	2
Wong Chee-kam (Ewo)	2
Wong Chi-pau (Ewo)	2
Warren (Navy)	2
Phillips (Kowloon)	2
Baldry (Kowloon)	2
Duffield (Kowloon)	2
To Wai-yick (S. China)	2
Mok Yim-sang (Taung Tsui)	2
Hast (Kowloon)	2
Barnes (Lincoln)	2
Chan Kwang-kwan (Taung Tsui)	2
Wallace (Borderers)	2
Pau Kn-ping (S. China)	2

#### SECOND DIVISION

The following is a list of the leading goal-scorers in the Second Division of the League to date:

Mathias (Borderers)	11
Ko Hung-chung (Athletic)	10
Morris (Borderers)	8
Frearson (Artillery)	8
Hardy (Artillery)	7
Hamblyn (Borderers)	7
Au Ping-ming (Ewo)	7
McGuiness (Lincoln)	6
Purkins (Navy)	6
Malpas (Lincoln)	6
Lo Chai-wan (Athletic)	6

\* Scored all the goals in one match.

#### SECOND DIVISION

The following are the leading goal-scorers in the Second Division of the League to date:

Young Kin-po (Athletic)	6
William (Club)	5
Lakeman (Borderers)	5
Young Kin-po (Athletic)	5
Au Kim-fun (Ewo)	5
Kam Cheung-lam (S. China)	5
Hoccuard (Lincoln)	4
Bentham (Navy)	4
Lai Hong-hi (Ewo)	3
Chadwick (Navy)	3
Webb (Kowloon)	3
Leung Lin-yick (S. China)	3
Tate (Lincoln)	3
Snooke (Artillery)	3
Pritchard (Borderers)	3
Santos (St. Joseph's)	3
To Wai-hang (S. China)	3
Ng Po-kin (S. China)	3
Reece (Borderers)	2
Purcell (Borderers)	2
Souza (St. Joseph's)	2
Ois Shuk-yan (Taung Tsui)	2
Leung Koon-san (Athletic)	2
Chan Cheung-chung (Athletic)	2
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To Wai-yick (S. China)	2
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Barnes (Lincoln)	2
Chan Kwang-kwan (Taung Tsui)	2
Wallace (Borderers)	2
Pau Kn-ping (S. China)	2

#### THIRD DIVISION

The following are the leading goal-scorers in the Third Division of the League to date:

A. M. Omar (St. Joseph's)	13
Purcell (Borderers)	12
Sands (R.A.C.)	9
Bliss (Navy)	7
Campos (Recreio)	7
Tate (R.A.F.)	6
O. M. Omar (St. Joseph's)	5
T. Costello (St. Joseph's)	5
Clarke (Lincoln)	5
Li Ping-shu (Athletic)	4
Lau Wal-kwong (S. China)	4
Evans (Lincoln)	4
Young Pun-hi (S. China)	4
Liu Shu-ming (S. China)	4
Nelson (Borderers)	4
Hu Hui-kwong (Athletic)	4
Olivera (University)	4
Pegg (R.E.)	3
Johns (Borderers)	3
Mason (Borderers)	3
McGuiness (Lincoln)	3
Morgan (R.A.C.)	3
Tai Wing-chai (Takoo)	3
Wong (University)	3
Tiong (University)	3
Acock (Radio)	2
Elias (Radio)	2
L. Costello (St. Joseph's)	2
Clement (Lincoln)	2
Kennish (R.A.E.)	2
Tate (Lincoln)	2
Cheung, Moon-wing (Athletic)	2
Marques (Radio)	2
Arrell (Radio)	2
Oiphana (Signals)	2
Hin Yau-ting (Athletic)	2
Kwong Yiu-ting (Athletic)	2
Davis (Lincoln)	2
Dennis (Lincoln)	2
Marsland (Borderers)	2
Lau Tat-san (S. China)	2
Santos (St. Joseph's)	2
Costa (St. Joseph's)	2
Whiting (R.E.)	2
Xavier (Recreio)	2
Lemos (Signals)	2
Jones (Signals)	2
Harper (Lincoln)	2
Chan Moon-wong (Athletic)	2
Reading (R.A.F.)	2
Smith (Radio)	2
Barrow (Recreio)	2
Tang Yan-sheng (S. China)	2
Blisbury (R.E.)	2
Hull Yu-town (Athletic)	2
Convey (Signals)	2
Thompson (Lincoln)	2
In Yau-ki (Athletic)	2
Tavares (Radio)	2

\* Scored all the goals in one match.

### INTERPORT HERO FOR HOME LEAVE.

#### Howe Will Be Missed By Club.

##### (By PENALTY)

**T**HE victorious Interport Soccer team left Shanghai yesterday morning by the President Taft and are due to arrive early on Friday morning.

The whole team are in the best of health and are looking forward to flying Shanghai's flag from the masthead.

Howe, who has played his last Interport game for the Colony, leaves for England in about a week's time. He will be sorely missed in the Club forward line where he has played a prominent part in scoring the most number of goals for the Club during the 1931 season. He is also a member of the Interport centre forward.

Howe will leave the Colony in triumph and any game or incident which went against him this year will be forgotten when Hong Kong remembers the brilliant winning goal which he scored thus enabling Hong Kong to maintain their record of having won every alternate game since 1925.

#### TRIBUTE PAID TO LOYAL AID OF MR. MCTAVISH

Farewell Presentation at Valley Last Night.

Members of the Hong Kong Football Club were present at the Clubhouse last night when a farewell presentation was made to Mr. H. M. McTavish, the secretary of the Club.

As a mark of esteem for his loyal services to the Club during the last eighteen years Mr. McTavish was the recipient of a watch. "Mac" also carried home with him a wristlet watch for Mrs. McTavish.

Mr. and Mrs. McTavish leave for England on Saturday by the Comorin, so that "Hector" will just have time to congratulate the victorious



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## THE PIONEERS OF PIKE'S PEAK

(Continued from page 7.)

"But you are fools' they said. 'You will never come back. You don't know what you may meet in those mountains. You know what Pike said when he came back. You know the tale he told. And some things he would not tell.'

"Don't go, oh, don't go!" my wife cried in agony.

"I loved her, yet I forced her from me. She was but a unit. In the success of our enterprise lay the welfare of thousands. I told her that to comfort her. It was the last time I saw her alive."

"Early in the morning we started. We took with us arms, food and drink for many days, and the bare necessities of life. We carried everything ourselves. We knew where and how Pike had failed. We would succeed."

"A week later we were fairly in the midst of difficulties. The work was terribly severe, but we had determination, strength and courage. We had expected to find obstacles, and we were not disappointed. Here enormous boulders which had to be circumvented, there unlooked-for waterfalls and ravines that delayed us, besides vegetation so thick in places we had to hack our way through it. Then the unknown dangers. There might be snakes concealed among those immense boulders; there might be death-dealing plants such as flourish in South America—Indeed, we did not know what there might not be. But we did not pause to consider those things."

"Over a fortnight went by. As we mounted gradually higher and higher our spirits rose as if in sympathy. Far down in the valley we had once or twice during our progress caught glimpses of this very townlet, now called Colorado Springs, also of the village of Manitou. Tiny villages, indeed, they were in those days; and as we saw them from those great heights they looked like little chessboards upon a vast expanse of prairie. And still we fought our way upward."

"How long our expedition had been started I cannot quite remember, when our surroundings gradually changed. In place of rock and black soil we now came upon the tracks of sandy formation. The undergrowth was still dense, however, though here and there thousands upon thousands of slim fir trees lay rotting upon the ground, evidently swept down by terrific storms, for storms in these mountains sweep down trees as a reaping machine sweeps down standing corn. Sometimes we came upon broad, open spaces, spaces swept clear apparently in early days by giant waterfalls long since died up. Then, as we penetrated still higher, and the vegetation decreased in density, even the boulders grew smaller. They now looked as though in prehistoric times they had been flung together by a tremendous seismic disturbance."

"Have you noticed," one of my comrades remarked one day, "what a quantity of insects there are here? And the rats are getting more plentiful. We seldom see any of those grey squirrels now."

"As he spoke he stamped his foot upon an immense brown spider that was running away. Its body burst with a crack, and glutinous liquid squirted out all round his boot. Almost instantly several spiders ran out from beneath a large stone as if to ascertain what had happened. They stopped. For a moment they seemed for all the world as if they looked at us—looked at us with a malignant, vindictive expression. Then they scuttled away."

"I believe I felt several of those spiders scampering over my face last night," he continued. "You had better be careful; they bite like mischief. These mountains are famous for them, and—just look at that!"

"A couple of large rats were chasing an enormous spider across a long, fat boulder. A moment later spider and rats disappeared over the edge."

"They say that, mountain rats will devour any living thing Weston said presently. 'They will eat us if we don't watch them!' he added in jest."

"During the early part of the afternoon we had made good progress, when suddenly we came upon a large sloping tract of bare white sand. The sun, still high in the heavens, shone down upon it, and at first sight the sand seemed to be alive with small moving bodies."

"Talk of spiders!" Dawkins said, laughing. "Did you ever see anything like that?"

"We had long ago, in previous expeditions, grown accustomed to surprises. Few things astonished

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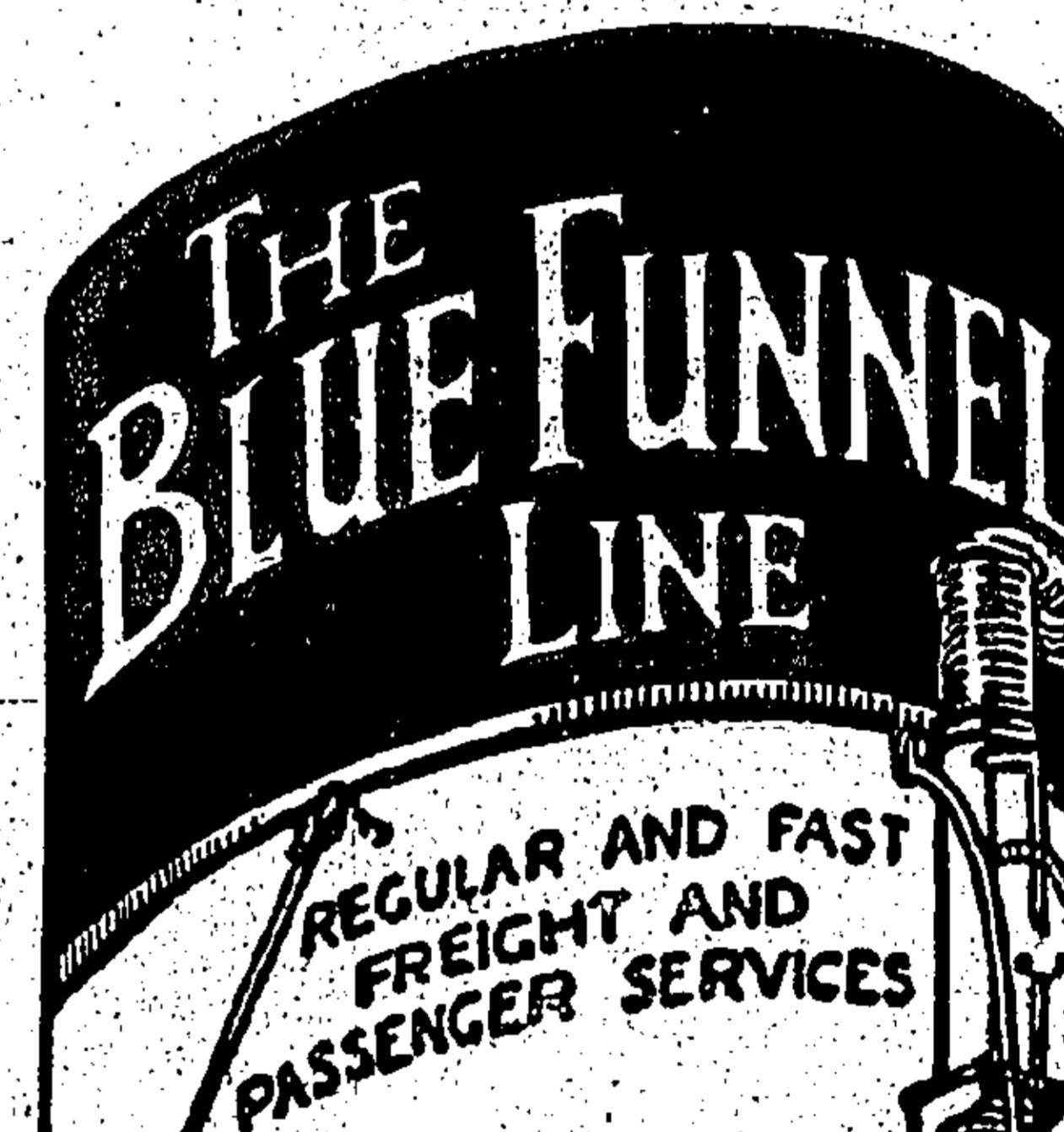
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## THE PIONEERS OF PIKE'S PEAK

(Continued from Page 10.)

"Pish! you hideous things," Dawkins said, pitching a pebble into their midst. In less than a minute hardly a spider was to be seen.

"If we describe that sight when we get back we shall be called liars," Weston said, glancing at his watch. "I've seen insects in my time, but never anything like that."

"The offensive smell was still strong in the air, and as we progressed it increased. Once or twice it became almost unbearable. We had now a long stretch of clear going before us, so we hastened to avail ourselves of it by advancing briskly. And still we saw spiders at every turn, spiders by the thousand sunning themselves on every rock and boulder, great brown spiders with fat, oval bodies, and with thick, hairy legs bent in grotesque curves. I kicked over a stunted little tree that lay rotting—ugh! Quite two or three hundred spiders must have scuttled away from under it.

"This is getting beyond a joke," Hellier, who seldom spoke, and was generally considered to be rather surly, suddenly said. "I tell you what it is: these spiders will go for us."

"Like Weston's rats!" Dawkins said, laughing at him, and we were still chaffing Hellier and Weston when Dawkins happened to look round.

"Why, Harry!" he exclaimed.

"There was anxiety in his tone, and I felt his hand grip my shoulder. And no wonder. Though anything but a coward, Dawkins could not help at once realising what we all realised a moment later—that Hellier's evil omen was more than likely to come true. A sickening feeling of fear had come over him.

"For there, barely fifty yards away, a reddish-brown mass gradually assuming the form of a crescent was steadily, swiftly gliding over the sand, steadily and swiftly overtaking us. And as it approached we could see thousands upon thousands of spiders hastening towards it from every direction and quickly increasing its size.

"My god, we are done for!"

"We did so, but by the time the swarm had well-nigh resumed its story?" I asked.

"Is there any truth in his spider swarm had well-nigh resumed its story?" I asked.

"Former size and shape. Could we "Any truth? It's all truth—it's all sweep a lane with our eight barrels least, that's my belief. Though I and then rush through it?" No, was quite a lad at the time the experiment started, I can remember it width of the wave was too great, well. Four of them were, all and still recruits were pouring in strong and hearty when they set upon every side, and as we fired out. Two months later he came

volley after volley into the quickly approaching swarms in the vain hope of turning them, the distant ravines rang again and again with echoes.

"My god, we are done for!"

"I don't think anything. As sure as you are standing there they were

dragging us down. Already many

stragglers were running up our leg and over our bodies. Now the first swarm was so near that we could distinctly hear it rushing up us, and—ah! the smell, how it still

hung in our nostrils...."

"Suddenly the intense horror of the situation flashed across my mind and struck terror into our hearts. For what could we do to avert the terrible fate that threatened us? Savage animals we might have coped with; treacherous human beings, even, we might have run up Weston's face and fix upon us, but now we were face to face with a peril totally unexpected, utterly loathsome and unassailed.

"Our only chance lies in flight," Hellier said bitterly.

"Flight! And where shall we fly to? The top of the mountain, I suppose. Look there, Hellier.

"It was Dawkins who spoke, and

he spoke in tones of scorn. Looking around us, we now saw what all round the floor. "Look at them all round the floor. We had not noticed before. We—ah! God help me!—help me!

we were surrounded. Everywhere we help me!"

He stopped again. He was quivering all over with excitement.

"Suddenly he dashed from his seat to the farthest corner of the room.

"Keep them from me! Keep them off!" he cried, glaring wildly

at us. "Look at them all round the floor. Look at them all round the floor. We had not noticed before. We—ah! God help me!—help me!

He sprang to right and left, then

in brown, gilding crescents of towards the door. Perspiration varying sizes. And over a hundred was pouring down his face. Then

yards away the largest and darkest suddenly he snatched wildly at

mass of all could clearly be distinguished, also winding its way body, running over his head, over

along the sand, also approaching his face, over his eye, into his mouth.

"It was a dreadful sight, also closing us in...."

"And as this mouth? It was a great crescent surged undulating,

"Stop him!" my friend cried unswervingly across the hillocks out jumping from his seat, and

and irregularities in the surface of rushing towards the old man; but

the soil and sand it resembled the air he approached, blindfold

great wave of a sluggish, turbid directed blow from the stranger's fist almost stunned him, and the

stream leaving a foamy sluice.

"Fire into them!" I exclaimed, innkeeper and two rough-looking

slipping a couple of shot cartridges men entered the room.

"Hold him, boys!" the innkeeper said calmly as the two men

pointed upon the stranger and the innkeeper sauntered towards us.

"Poor fellow," he said. "I always

have to be ready for him—look at him now! yet the doctors pronounce

him sane. He often is sane, of course, but when I heard him start

up, I had reloaded."

"Give them a volley," Weston called out, "that may turn them."

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**FRAUD TRICKSTER SENTENCED.**

**Fake Marriage-Maker Sent To Prison.**

Man Foo an oyster-monger, who was recently discharged, on one fraud count pleaded guilty before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning to a charge of obtaining \$150 from Leung Shiu-chuen, 77 Wai Ching Street, by false pretences.

Defendant admitted pretending a girl whom he introduced to the complainant was a wealthy widow and wished to remarry, whereas she was actually a poor spinster. Detective-Sergeant D. Fletches prosecuted.

His Worship, holding it was a deliberate fraud, sentenced defendant to four months in gaol, defendant asked for a caution, reduction of sentence, or option of a fine.

His Worship refused all, adding—"I trust my sentence to act as a caution, both to you and others who may be contemplating the same sort of trick."

**POLICE OFFICERS RETURN**

A number of Hong Kong Police Officers returned to the Colony on the s.s. Kaiser-I-Hind from Home. They include Sergeants Flattery, Poyntz and Kellett, the latter being accompanied by his wife.

**FIRST TEST AT SYDNEY TO-MORROW**

**Leyland And Tate May Be In The Side.**

**28TH GAME AT OVAL**

The first Test match between England and Australia will commence in Sydney to-morrow. The Australians have selected thirteen players, but of these Don Bradman is suffering from a chill and W. A. Oldfield is in bed with influenza. The English team has not yet been announced.

In the series of Tests played between the two countries 27 matches have been played at the Sydney Oval, Australia having won 16 and England 11.

It can be taken as granted that Bradman and Oldfield will be fit for to-morrow's match, in which case the probable teams will be as follows:

England: D. R. Jardine (captain), R. E. S. Wyatt, F. R. Brown, Nawab of Pataudi, Sutcliffe, Hammond, Larwood, Leyland, Duckworth, Verity and Voce.

Australia: W. M. Woodfull (captain), W. H. Ponsford, D. G. Bradman, L. Nagel, C. V. Grimmett, W. A. Oldfield, T. Wall, S. McCabe, A. Kippax, L. O'Reilly and V. Y. Richardson.

**DEVONSHIRE FOR SHANGHAI.**

**Destroyer Squadron On Manoeuvres.**

H.M.S. Devonshire, of the fifth Cruiser Squadron, is expected to leave Hong Kong for Shanghai within a fortnight's time.

H.M.S. Keppel, Flotilla Leader, H.M.S. Wishart, Wild Swan, Whitehall, Wren, Verity, Veteran, Whitshead and Witch, comprising the Eighth Destroyer Flotilla, are out on fleet exercises and are expected back by the week-end.

H.M. Aircraft Carrier Hermes, Hong Kong on Monday for exercises attached to the China Station, left in the China Sea. She is expected to return to the Colony on Friday.

**PEPPER CARRIERS IN CUSTODY.**

**Police Distrusted Two Loiterers.**

Two Chinese unemployed men, described as dangerous characters were sentenced to six months' hard labour each by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning on charges of the possession of a packet of pepper and of loitering. Detective-Sergeant Fletches stated that the defendants were arrested in the vicinity of Glenelly, just below Conduit Road. Police took a serious view of the case, he added.

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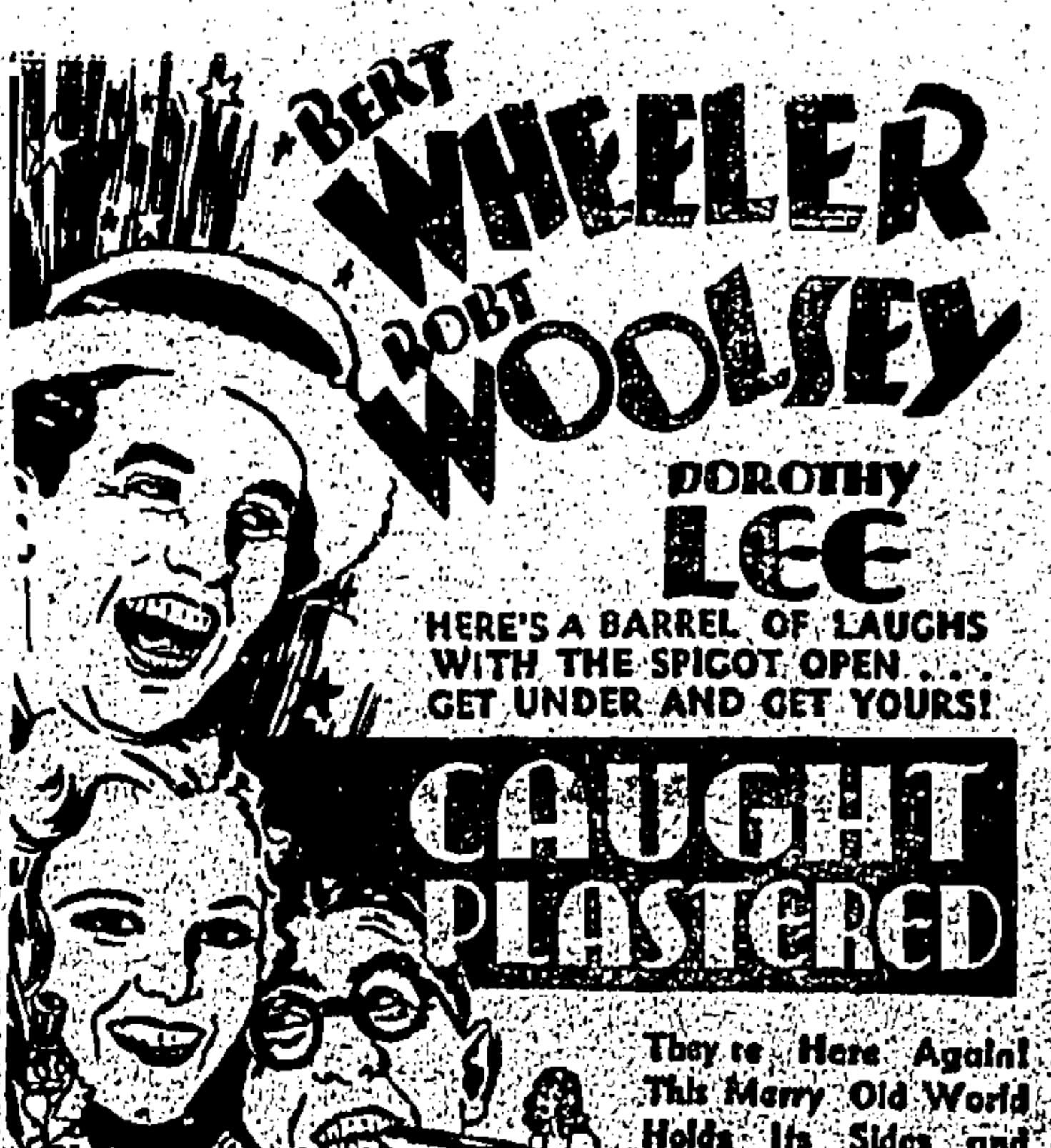
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